

REMARKS

Claims 1, 4, 7, 8, 11, 13 and 15-19 are currently active. The Examiner has allowed these claims.

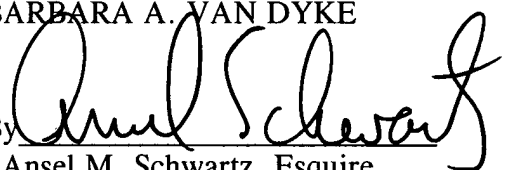
Claims 2, 3, 10 and 12 have been canceled.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully requested that the outstanding rejections and objections to this application be reconsidered and withdrawn, and Claims 1, 4, 7, 8, 11, 13 and 15-19, now in this application be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,

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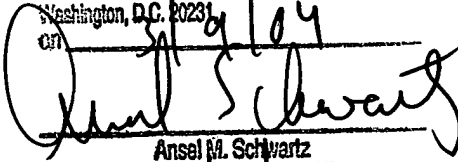
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